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LETTER SUBMITTING ENGLISH LANGUAGE
TRANSLATION OF NON-ENGLISH PROVISIONAL APPLICATION

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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February 9, 2004

Sir:

Applicants submit herewith an English translation and a statement that the translation is accurate of Provisional Application No. 60/417,309 filed on October 10, 2002, of which the above-identified U.S. nonprovisional application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e).

If necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2448 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17; particularly, extension of time fees.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attachments: Translation of Provisional Application
No. 60/417,309 (with Verification of
Translation)



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VERIFICATION OF TRANSLATION

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Sir:

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Furuya & Co., located at 6th Floor, Hamacho-Hanacho
Building, 2-17-8, Nihonbashi-Hamacho, Chuo-ku, Tokyo
103-0007, Japan, declare that:

1. I am well acquainted with the Japanese and English languages;
2. I verified the translation of the above-identified US provisional application from Japanese to English language; and
3. The hereto-attached English translation is a full, true and correct translation of the above-identified US provisional application to the best of my knowledge and belief.

I hereby declare that all statements made herein of my own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issued thereon.

Dated: January 19, 2004

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Takahiko MIZOBE', is written over a horizontal line.

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